

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

International application No.

PCT/US04/32720

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	US 3,056,795, (Archer et al.) 02 October 1962, see entire document especially col. 14, compound (b) at lines 27-28.	1-7
Y		1-7
X	US 4,178,377 (Bissi et al.) 11 December 1979, see entire document especially compound at col. 25, lines 52-53.	1-7
Y		1-7
Y	Database CAPLUS on STN (Columbus, OH, USA) No. 138:255252 'Preparation of substituted 1-benzhydryl-4-[2-(4-piperidinyl)acetyl]-piperazines as 17 betahydroxysteroid dehydrogenase type 3 inhibitors' abstract with RN 502612-5-7 and 502612-06-8, Guzi et al. March 2003.	1-7

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